

NEWS SUMMARY.

City Affairs. —About 11 o'clock yesterday morning a frame house at Tacony, owned by the estate of Matthias W. Baldwin, was injured by fire to the amount of \$1000.

—The testimony in the contested election case, on the part of the contestant, Mr. Taylor, was closed yesterday evening, before Abraham Stewart, Notary Public, at the northwest corner of Richmond and Clearfield streets.

—Robert Hamilton, forty-five years old, residing at No. 2222 Campbell street, had an arm broken yesterday, at Point Breeze Park, by a bank of earth falling on him.

—General Fremont takes his departure for Europe to-day.

—The American Medical Association met at New Orleans yesterday.

—The connecting rails between the Pacific Railroad will be laid on Saturday.

—Hon. Moses H. Grinnell had an interview with Secretary Boutwell yesterday.

—The Danish Minister was yesterday married to a daughter of Chancellor Zaboriskie, of Jersey City.

—Indianapolis held her municipal election yesterday. The entire Republican ticket was elected.

—John A. Bloomfield has been appointed Supervisor of Internal Revenue for the District of Illinois.

—The Legislature of Indiana has located the Agricultural College of that State on the Tippecanoe battle-ground.

—Governor Wells, of Virginia, is out in a letter asserting that he never was satisfied with the disfranchisement clause.

—Minister Motley's instructions are now being prepared by Caleb Cushing, and will not be completed until next week.

A young man was killed at Davenport, Iowa, Monday, by the accidental discharge of a pistol in his own hands.

—Joseph Holmes, a colored member of the late Virginia Constitutional Convention, was killed at Charlotte Court House on Monday.

Municipal elections were held on Monday at Stockton, Cal., and at Grand Hill, Nev. Republicans victorious in all places, as usual.

Foreign Affairs. HAVANA, May 4.—The Cuban journals contain the usual accounts of insignificant skirmishes between the Spanish and Cuban forces.

LONDON, May 4.—In the House of Commons, Sir John Hay inquired what action the Government had taken regarding the seizure of the brig Mary Lowell by a Spanish man-of-war in British waters.

At the Chester races, to-day, the Chesterfield stakes were won by "George O'Connell," with "Myotis" second and "Hunter" third.

PARIS, May 4.—The Geographical Society have decreed a gold medal to Dr. Hayes, of the United States, for his services in the work of Arctic exploration and discovery.

Two Destructive Fires Yesterday. Two very heavy fires occurred in Wilmington last evening, the first breaking out about 9 o'clock in the evening, the latter shortly after midnight.

The first was at the shingle factory of McAlkin & Co., on the Christiana, supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

Before this fire was under control another alarm was given, calling the firemen to the foot of Market street.

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MARINE TELEGRAPH.

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ARRIVED YESTERDAY. Steamship Tonawanda, Wakeley, 20 hours from Savannah, with cargo, etc., to Philadelphia and Southern Mail

MEMORANDA. Ship Matilda Hill, Liverpool for Philadelphia, was off Point Ledges P. M., 19th ult.

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The key to the safe in which we kept our securities was locked inside of our fire-proof book safe, the doors of which were literally cut to pieces; from this they obtained the key to the other safe and opened it.

Fortunately we had one of your Burglar-Proof Banker's Chests inside, in which our valuables were deposited. This they went to work at with a will, and evidently used up all their time and tools in vain attempts to force it.

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